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Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

The following amendment and remarks are submitted in response to the Official Action mailed November 21, 2002.

IN THE DRAWINGS

Please amend FIGS. 1, 2, 4 and 6 of the drawings as indicated on the attached sheets.

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please amend the specification as follows:

At 6, the second full paragraph:

In the illustrated embodiment of FIG. 4, the annular end plates 1a, 1b are coupled to the annular laminated stack 2 by caulking at the second fixing means of the annular end plates 1a, 1b and the first fixing means of the annular laminated stack 2. The first fixing means of the annular

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